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In re I	Patent Application of)	
Takay	uki IKEDA et al.)	
Serial	No. 09/542,473)	Group Art Unit:
Filed:	April 4, 2000)	Examiner:
For:	ELECTROOPTICAL DEVICE AND)	
	A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)	
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and 37 C.F.R. 1.97-1.99, it is requested that the reference(s) listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 be made of record in the above-identified application.

A discussion of U.S. Patent No. 5,594,569 and the articles by Furue et al. and by Yoshida et al. is given in the specification on page 39.

A discussion of Japanese Patent Laid-Open No. 7-321339 is given in the specification on page 24.

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A discussion of Japanese Patent Laid-Open No. 9-312260 is given in the specification on page 14.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16, 1.17, 1.20(a), 1.20(b), 1.20(c), and 1.20(d) (except the Issue Fee) which may be required now or hereafter, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2380.

A copy of the references cited herein is submitted herewith in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a).

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